



## Bridge Replacement Project Underway *Motorists should expect detours*

Sandy City and the Utah Department of Transportation (UDOT) are preparing to begin construction on a project to replace a pair of roadway bridges. The project will replace existing bridges over two canals:

- **8710 South at approximately 40 West**
  - 8710 South is expected to be closed just west of State Street as of Thursday, Dec. 18.
  - Traffic will be detoured to Monroe Street, Cottage Avenue and 8600 South.
- **8800 South at approximately 200 East**
  - 8800 South is expected to be closed to thru traffic during the first week of January between 250 East and Center Street.
  - Traffic will be detoured to 250 East, Main Street (8710 South) and Center Street.
  - Traffic accessing the 90<sup>th</sup> South TRAX park-n-ride from east of the tracks will not be able to cross the tracks east or westbound on 8800 South. During the closure, motorists may use the 90<sup>th</sup> South access; or Main Street and Center Street as an alternate route.

The work requires full road closures as the existing bridges will be demolished and new culverts and street improvements installed. Detours will be clearly marked.

Bridge work is expected to be substantially complete by March 2009. Before traffic can use the new bridges, a final asphalt pavement must be placed. Depending on asphalt availability and weather conditions, it is expected the bridges will open to traffic in April 2009. Detours will remain in place through total project completion.

The project team appreciates your patience as improvements are made. Lyndon Jones Construction is the project contractor. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Garen Beck at (801)253-3478. Thank you.

